IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: D. Swerdlov
NOBUHIRO IKEDA)	
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Application No.: 09/977,701)	-
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Filed: October 16, 2001)	
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows.